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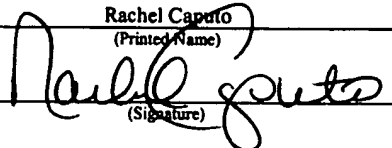
Title: Device for Suspending a Foot
within a Shoe and Shoes
Incorporating such Devices

Prior Appl. No.: 10/634,267

Prior Appl.
Filing Date: 8/4/2003

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CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is a:

☒ Continuation ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP)

of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

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- ☒ Description, Claims, and Abstract (32 pages).
- ☒ Formal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1-13).
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment (7 pages).
- ☒ Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in Parent Patent Application No. 10/634,267, filed 8/4/2003 (3 pages).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (3 pages).

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Number Filed	Included in Basic Fee	Extra	Rate	Fee Totals
Basic Filing Fee				\$300.00 =	\$300.00
Search Fee				\$500.00	\$500.00
Examination Fee				\$200.00	\$200.00
Size Fee	37	- 100	= 0 x	\$250.00	\$0.00
Total	1	- 20	= 0 x	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Claims:					
Independents	1	- 3	= 0 x	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:			+	\$360.00 =	\$0.00
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